

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION  
HARVARD UNIVERSITY

April 22, 1974

[redacted]  
Intelligence Officer, Geographer  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear [redacted]

The Admissions Committee has completed its review of the applications for the September 1974 class of the Program for Management Development. Regrettably, the Committee has been unable to act favorably on your application. While this decision may be disappointing, I hope the following comments will help you understand the context in which it was reached.

The Faculty places great emphasis on having a diverse mix of students in order to facilitate the maximum exchange of ideas and optimize the learning experience. Consequently, the Admissions Committee spends considerable time in attempting to establish a PMD class balance of managerial functions, companies, and industries. Accordingly, each applicant is considered not only on the basis of personal job qualifications and business experience, but also with regard to the mix of that particular class.

In addition, due to an extensive renovation program of PMD living facilities, the number of available spaces in the next sessions must be reduced. Since demand for the program has continued to grow, competition for spaces in the program has become much more intense.

We appreciate your interest in the Program for Management Development and wish you success in the future.

Sincerely,

Joseph J. O'Donnell

JOD:lc

cc: [redacted]

✓ Mr. Alfonso Rodriguez

12 April 1974

Mr. Joseph J. O'Donnell, Administrative Director  
Program for Management Development  
Harvard University  
Graduate School of Business Administration  
Soldiers Field  
Boston, Massachusetts 02163

Dear Mr. O'Donnell:

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This will confirm your telephone conversation with [redacted] of my staff on 12 April 1974 advising that we are withdrawing [redacted] from the Fall 1974 Session of the Program for Management Development because of a major reorganization in the component to which he is assigned, making him unavailable at that time.

We look forward to being invited to participate in your Program in the future.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED)

Alfonso Rodriguez  
Director of Training

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8 October 1974

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[redacted]

Mr. Rodriguez

[redacted]

*PSM. HNL*

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The following is for your information only.

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[redacted] DCI Admin Officer has called me several times the past few days inquiring about the AMP Course at Harvard--its cost, dates, etc. He is aware that TSB is no longer sponsoring this course.

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Finally, in response to my query, he said that [redacted] (an AMP alumnus) wants to send one of his people and that he plans to discuss this with the DCI (particularly in terms of getting money for the tuition).

Concident with this call, the attached material arrived from Harvard the other day. I did not plan to respond to [redacted] letter unless you think it would be appropriate to start to officially close the door.

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*OTO PER RODRIGUEZ 10-10-74*

*Rod-*

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*Suggest you brief Blake.*

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*RODRIGUEZ WILL HELP*

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